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Date: September 23, 2004

Name: Jacqueline Wilson

Signature: Jacqueline Wilson

Re: Patent Application for:
"Charging in Communication Networks Having Split Control Planes and User Planes"
Serial No. 09/903,365
Attorney Docket No. P13691-US2

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed for filing please find the following items relating to the above-identified application:

- (1) Transmittal Letter (1 page)
- (2) Response under 37 C.F.R §1.111 (7 pages)

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If you have any questions or comments concerning this matter, please feel free to contact the undersigned at 972-583-5799.

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)					Docket No. P13691-US2	
Applicant(s): Frode Bjelland et al.						
Application No. 09/903,365	Filing Date July 11, 2001	Examiner Stephen M. D Agosta	Customer No. 27045	Group Art Unit 2683	Confirmation No. 9557	
Invention: Charging in Communication Networks Having Split Control Planes and User Planes						
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In response to the Office action dated June 24, 2004, the Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks.

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS

Claims 1 and 9 have been amended and claims 3 and 11 have been cancelled. A listing of claims begins on page 2.